## COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As the below named inventors, we declare that: our residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next our names; and we believe we are the original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled below:

## SELF-ADJUSTING ELECTRIC PARK BRAKE WITH MANUAL RELEASE

[ ] is attached hereto.
[X] was filed on March 26, 2004 as Application Serial No. 10/811,059.
] and was amended on or through.
We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above
dentified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to
above. We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the
examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, code of Federal Regulations,

We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any Unites States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35,, United Stated Code, §112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the application.

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